

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Patrick A. Hawkins  
Serial No.: 10/642,960  
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Title: MOUNTING DEVICE

Examiner: Todd Epps  
Group Art Unit: 3632  
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**PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Office Action mailed July 27, 2007, said period of response being extended from October 27, 2007 to January 28, 2008 (Monday).

**Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0743 in the amount of \$525.00 to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 19-0743.**

Respectfully Submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8:** The undersigned hereby certifies that this correspondence is being filed using the USPTO's electronic filing system EFS-Web, and is addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this 28<sup>th</sup> day of January 2008.

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